

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

The Honorable Commissioner of
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Sir:

This is a request for filing a Divisional Application under 37 CFR 1.62, of pending prior Application No. 08/584,111 filed on January 11, 1996 of Ralph Luhm

for TACKING FASTENER

The Filing Fee has been calculated as shown below:

For:	(Col. 1) No. Filed	(Col. 2) No. Extra	SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
			RATE	FEE	RATE	FEE
Basic Fee:	-	-	-	\$385.00	-	\$770.00
Total Claims:	2	0	\$11.00	\$0.00	\$22.00	\$0.00
Indep. Claims:	1	0	\$40.00	\$0.00	\$80.00	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dep. Claim(s) Presented			\$130.00	\$0.00	\$260.00	\$0.00
*If the difference in (Col. 1) is less than zero, enter "0" in (Col. 2)			Total:	385.00	Total:	\$0.00

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
2. A check in the amount of \$385.00 is enclosed for the filing fee.
3. A check in the amount of _____ is enclosed as a Petition fee pursuant to Rule 1.17.
4. Please enter the Preliminary Amendment, enclosed herewith.
5. Please amend the Specification by inserting after the title, the sentence:
--This is a Divisional Application _____ of Application No. 08/584,111, filed January 11, 1996 now Abandoned
6. Please enter the Amendment filed on _____ in the parent Application.
7. Please cancel Claims 3-9

8. A verified statement claiming small entity status was filed in the pending prior Application and such status is still proper and desired.
9. The prior Application is assigned to: Allfast Fastening Systems, Inc.
10. The Power of Attorney in the prior Application is to:
Blakely, Sokoloff, Taylor & Zafman
- (a) The Power appears in the original papers of the prior Application.
- (b) Since the Power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the Power in the prior Application is enclosed.
- (c) Recognize as Associate Attorney and address all future communications to:
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11. It is hereby requested that any request for a convention priority made in the prior Application be transferred to this Rule 1.62 Application
12. Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time pursuant to Rule 1.136, if one is needed, for the above-noted Application. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for filing in the prior Application file.

The undersigned declares further, that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true, and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

BLAKELY, SOKOLOFF, TAYLOR & ZAFMAN

Date: November 06, 1996

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